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From the Paris Gazette, dated July 25.

Naples, June 25.

THE Duke de Popoli has receiv'd orders from the King of Spain to repair forthwith to the Court of Madrid, to command the Company of Italian Life-guards, of which he is Captain. His Majeſty directed him at the ſame Time by a Letter under his own Hand to bring with him 40 young Gentlemen, to ſerve as Cadets. He found that Number in 4 Days time, and among them there are Perſons of the chiefeſt Quality in this Kingdom, who were forward to give a good Example, and expreſs upon this Occaſion all imaginable Zeal for the King's Service: Don Michele Aquaviva Brother of the Duke d' Atri, and Don Lelio Caraffa Brother of the Duke de Matalone, are of the Number. The 2d Regiment form'd out of the Troops commonly call'd the Battalion of the Kingdom, are embarking to be tranſported to Barcelona.

From the Bruſſels Gazette, dated July 28.

Madrid, July 9. The King has at length given Leave to the Count de Monterey and the Duke de Montalto who were of the Cabinet-Council to reſign their Places; and thoſe Noblemen went to the Palace the 4th to return Thanks to his Majeſty. The Marquis de Risbourg, whom the King had ſent to Ciudad Rodrigo, to command the Troops on that Frontier, is gone from thence by order from his Majeſty to Catalonia, to aſſiſt the Viceroy Don Franciſco de Velaſco and provide for the Security of Barcelona. The Regiment of Spaniſh Guards of the Count d' Aguilar, and that of Flemiſh Guards of the Duke d'Havre are return'd hither, and are quarter'd in ſome neighbouring Villages. They are to be recruited and augmented to 2 Battalions each. The new Levies in this Kingdom are carried on with Succeſs; Recruits are alſo raiſing for the old Regiments, who are paid their Arrears. A new Regiment of Iriſh Dragoons, the Command of which is given to Colonel Caſtron an Iriſh Man, is almoſt compleat; 300 Iriſh Men who deſerted the Service of the Enemy in Portugal, are lifted into it. Advice being come from Tarragona, that as the Officers of Juſtice were leading a Malefactor to Priſon, ſome Inhabitants of that Town reſcu'd him out of their Hands; the Court has ſent ſtrict orders for apprehending and trying the Perſons that were buſieſt in that Tumult. They write from Cazeres the 5th Inſtant, that the Enemy, who are employ'd in the Blockade of Marvan, having attempted to ſurprize the Convent of San Franciſco, within Muſquet-ſhot of that Town; were repuls'd with Loſs.

From the Amſterdam Courant, dated July 30.

Paris, July 24. Letters from Madrid of the 8th Inſtant ſay, the Marſhal de Theſſe was arriv'd there; that the Marquis de Leganez would be conducted from Pampelona to Bayonne; that Guard-Houſes were building on each ſide the King's Palace at Madrid; that Monſieur de Legal Lieutenant General, commands the Troops that are between the Douro and the Tagus, during the Abſence of the Marſhal de Theſſe; that the Portugueze make great Preparations againſt the enſuing Campagne; and that all Endeavours are us'd to recruit compleatly the Spaniſh Regiments of Foot that are in Summer-Quarters; three fourths of the Soldiers belonging to thoſe Regiments having deſerted to the Enemy, becauſe no Pay was given them. A Courier from the Marſhal de Theſſe has brought Advice, That the Portugueſe who block up Marvan, having attack'd the Convent of San Franciſco a ſecond time, have made themſelves Maſters of it. 'Tis reported this Courier has likewiſe brought Word, that the Enemies Fleet conſiſting of 63 Ships, 45 of them Men of War, had appear'd off Cadix and ſent 8 Boats to view the Situation of that Place; but 'tis alſo ſaid that Fleet is gone on to the Mediterranean: His Majeſty has receiv'd Advice that the Almirante of Caſtile is dead in Portugal.

From the Amſterdam Courant, dated Auguſt 1.

Mentz, July 24. The 22d our Elector ſent the Baron Schromwetter to Swalbach to acquaint Prince Lewis of Baden, that the Emperor and the College of Princes of the Empire have choſen his Highneſs Lieutenant General in chief. The Troops that are encamp'd 7 or 8 Leagues from hence are 18000 Men ſtrong, and wait for orders to march.

Francfort, July 26. The Enemy continue encamp'd between Haguenau and Weiſſembourg, and are ſending away Detachments. The Prince of Hohenſollern commands at preſent the Troops in the Lines at Lauterbourg, from whence 4 Regiments are gone over the Rhine to the Lines of Stohlhoffen: General Thungen is with the Forces that are poſted in thoſe Lines. Prince Lewis of Baden is expected daily at Lauterbourg from Swalbach. The Pruſſian Troops are encamp'd on this ſide the Rhine near Muhlberg; and 'tis ſaid their General Arnheym has ſent a Courier to Berlin, for orders from his Pruſſian Majeſty where they ſhall be employ'd; ſome think they will be commanded to march down to the Netherlands.

From the Antwerp Courant, dated July 31.

Strasburg, July 22. The Veſſels laden with Cannon and Ammunition, which had lain ſome Days near Fort Louis, came back hither Yeſterday-morning, and are to be unladen. Letters written Yeſterday from Weiſſenbourg adviſe, that the Marſhal de Villars was muſtering his Army, and had order'd ſeveral Regiments of Foot and Horſe to hold themſelves ready to March, but whither was not yet known.

Sarlouis, July 23. The 21ſt in the Afternoon the Horſe which had lain incamp'd ſome Days near this Place broke up and march'd towards Gichembach, and were follow'd yeſterday Morning by the Foot that were encamp'd with them, as alſo by ſeveral Ingeniers, 26 Pieces of Cannon, 12 Mortars, and a great Number of Waggons with Ammunition. They all procesded to Homberg, which Place was to be inveſted to Day, or will be to Morrow. When that and ſome other Poſts are taken, the ſaid Troops are to march to Alſace, to ſupply the Room of the 20 Battallions and as many Squadrons, which are march'd from thence through the Franche Comte for Italy. To Day Advice is come, that the German Governour of Homberg finding he ſhould be beſieg'd, has ſent all the Baggage and Uſeleſs Perſons out of the Place to Keyſerſlauteren and Landau.

Shields, July 21. Our Coal-Fleet loads but ſlowly; by reaſon of the Winds that blow hard Weſterly, ſo that the Keels cannot get up as faſt as if we had more eaſy Winds; but it is like near 200 Colliers

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may be ready to sail in 2 or 3 Days time, if the Wind present.

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